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In re Patent Application of:
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For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS AND
METHODS OF USING SECRETED FRIZZLED
RELATED PROTEIN

Examiner: X. Xie

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 24, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the issues raised in the Office Action based on the amendments and accompanying remarks. Applicants are also submitting herewith a Notice of Appeal.

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time and authorize the Commissioner to charge the fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1) to Deposit Account No. 01-1425. If any additional fees or extensions are required or any refund is owed for this application, Applicants hereby petition for the necessary extension of time and authorize the Commissioner to charge any deficiency and/or credit any refund owed to the above-referenced deposit account.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.